GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1904.

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File No. 88

Serial Nos. 1—10

Papers Filed.

Month January 1907.

SUBJECT.

Alleged mismanagement of the Sri Adinarayana Swami temple at Arakal in the Kankanhalli Taluk

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.	LATER REFERENCES.

MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

OFFICE NOTE.

File No. 88-04

SUBJECT.

Alleged mismanagement of the affairs of the Sri Adinarayana swami temple at Aralal in the Kankanhalli Taluk.

From

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

Docket No. 104, dated 20th December 1906.

Krishna Setty and certain others of the Aralal village in the Kankanhalli Tk petitioned to this Office complaining that the Archak of the Sri Adinarayanaswamy temple ~~in~~ the said village had been appropriating the income of the inam lands endowed to the temple and had not been performing the temple car-festival. The petition was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for enquiry and report.

From the Deputy Commissioner's report and from his replies to further enquiries

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File No. of Mutual Service Case.

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The Collector's office notes say that it is not ascertainable if there is any evidence to show the condition of the endowment on the abolition of the Melvaram service from the records to be had, it is observed that the lands have been granted "for the benefit of the temple of Narayana Swami in this village," which as per the Collector's certificate is in good order and services rendered every day.

The Deputy Commissioner also says that the temple buildings and its premises have been kept in good condition and that one Ramasetti, a charitably disposed old man of the village has repaired the mantapa and is constructing a mahadwara for it, at his own cost

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Submitted with a draft.

to the 2nd Councillor.

6/1/07

Approved 7/1/07

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MYSORE DEWAN'S OFFICE,

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

No.

The accompanying Petition No. 3838
dated 15:4:05 received at this
~~Dewan's~~ Office from Krishna Setty and
certain others of Arulal Village,
Kankanhalli Taluk, bringing
to notice some irregularities
in connection with the management
of the Sri Adinarayanaswamy
Temple and the Inam lands endow
thereto
is forwarded, ~~together with its~~
~~enclosures~~, to the Dy. Commr
Bangalore, with a request for
favour of early enquiry
and report.

By Order,

Muzrai Secretary

BANGALORE,
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Reports
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From

The Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore Dist.

To
The Secy. to the Govt. of Mysore
Mysore Dpttt.

Dated 20

Despatched 21 April 1906.

Received

General No.
M. & No. 86

Enclosure No. 1 to 11

His No. 3994 dated

Reports on the
petition of Krishnaselli
and others of Aralal village
Kankanhalli taluk
against some irregularities
in the management of the
Sri Adinarayanaswami
temple and its endowments.

Dr. No. 86
E. file.

Bangalore District
Dy. Commissioner's Office
20 April 1906

From
D. Devaraj Urs Esquire
Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore Dist.

To
L. Anantarama Rao Esq. B.A.
Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
Revenue Deptt.

Sir,

With reference to your official memo No. 3994 without date forwarding for report petition from Krishnasetti and others of Amlal village, Kankanhalli Taluk complaining of some irregularities in connection with the management of the Sri Adi-Narayanaswami temple and

the Inam lands endowed to it, I have the honor to state that the temple and its premises are kept in good condition and that the Archak is performing puja in the morning and evening. Krishnadevi complains that no utsavams are performed. The pujari admits the fact but it does not appear from the enquiry held by the Assistant Commissioner in charge of Closepet group of taluks that any utsavas used to be conducted at all at any time within living memory

2. The Inam lands measuring 34 acres. 13 guntas assessed at Rs. 36-4-0 and having a Jodi of Rs. 9/- are in the enjoyment of the Archak.

3. Assistant Commissioner's report No. 826 dated 5th February 1906 together with the vernacular records is submitted for orders

I have the honor to

be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servant

Bhupendra Nath

for Dy. Commissioner

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From

To

The Dy Commr

Bangalore Dist

Dated

Despatched

Received 26th April 1906

General No. 5002

No.

Enclosure No. nil file

Adverting to his letter

No. S no. 86 dy 21st April 1906,

reporting upon the petition of

Krishnaselli and others

of the Akalal Village in the Kankanhalli

Taluk, complaining of certain

alleged irregularities in the ma-

nagement of the Sri Adinara-

yana Swamy temple and its endow-

ments, has the honor to request

to be furnished with ~~details~~

information on the points

noted below: —

1) what is the income

the Inam lands endowed to

2) what is the total expenditure?

3) Is any saving being effected and if so, what is the amount at the credit of the institution?

4) Has the Archak been rendering accounts for the amounts expended by him? and

5) under whose authority was the work of repair to the temple taken in hand?

2) Enclo to the letter under reply are herewith returned for reference and re-submission.

By order,

24.4.06

Secretary.

24/4/06

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From

The Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore Dt.

To The Secretary to the Govt.
of Mysore, General
& Revenue Depts.

Dated 20th October

Despatched 23rd "

Received

General No.
No. 78.

Enclosure No. —

Reporting on the income and expenditure of Inam lands attached to Sri Abhinavanavasura temple in the village of Aralal, Kankanhalli Talk.

Inam No: 78.

Bangalore District
Deputy Commissioner's office
Dated 20th October 1906.

From.
H. H. Parker Esquire
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

To
T. Ananta Saine Rao. Esquire B.A.
Secretary to the Government of Mysore
Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your docket-No 5002 dated 24/26th April 1906, calling for further report regarding the income and expenditure of the Inam lands attached to the Sri Adinara yanaswami temple in the village of Arakal, Kankanhalli Taluk, I have the honor to state that the average annual Income from the Inam lands endowed to the temple as detailed in the margin is estimated by the Amildar at about Rs 150, besides which there is a monthly grant of

P. No.	Area.	Assessment.	Wet Area.	Assessment.	Garden Area.	Assessment.	Area.	Assessment.
31	0-2-	" "	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	0-28-	1-8-0
33	6-36-	6-12-4	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	0-28-	1-8-0
75	5-19-	5-8-4	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	0-26-	1-4-0
76	5-9-	5-0-0	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	"	"
113	3-25	3-8-0	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	"	"
198	5-8-	5-0-0	—	—	—	—	—	—
199	1-35-	1-12-0	—	—	—	—	—	—
190	0-0-	" "	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	0-22-	1-4-0
196	1-28-	1-12-0	—	—	—	—	—	—
198	1-10-	1-4-0	" —	" — "	" —	" — "	"	"
204	0-29-	0-12-0	—	—	—	—	—	—
	32-1-	31-4-0	0-38-	2-4-0	1-14-	2-12-0	34-13-	36-4-0

P. No.	Area.	Assessment.
31	0-30-	1-8-0
33	0-22-	1-8-0
75	0-22-	1-4-0
76	5-19-	5-8-0
113	3-25	3-8-0
198	5-8-	5-0-0
199	1-35-	1-12-0
190	0-22-	1-4-0
196	1-28-	1-12-0
198	1-26-	2-4-0
204	0-29-	0-12-0
	9-0-0	

0-9-6
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1-6-0
1-4-0
0-14-0
1-4-0
0-6-0
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0-7-0
0-8-0
0-3-0

Rs 0-7-9 hies as Kadithana. The archak pays a civil-rent of Rs 11-9-3 to Government and after meeting the expenses of daily Puja, utilizes the balance for his maintenance.

The archak has not maintained any accounts for the receipts and expenditure and there are no savings at the credit of the temple.

One Ramasetti of the village has repaired the temple at his own cost without any authority.

The Vernacular papers received with the above are resubmitted.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

for Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

Draft for approval

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MUZRAI SECRETARIAT.

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From

L. ANANTASAMI RAO Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Muzrai Department.

To

The Superintendent of
Inam Settlements in Mysore.

Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No.

Has the honor to request
to be furnished with an
extract from the Inam Regr.
pertaining to the grant of the
inam lands in the Kankanhalli
Taluk to the Sri Adiranyana
swami temple at Aralal in
the said Taluk.

By Order,

19/11/06

Musr. Secretary.

16/11/06

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From The Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore

To The Secretary to the Government of Mysore

Dated 27th } Mudgari Department.
Despatched 27 }
Received } November
General No.
No. 68

Enclosure No. one

As requested in his docket No 2648, dated 20th November 1906, has the honor to forward herewith, a copy of the Inam Register pertaining to the grant of Inam lands endowed to Sri Narayana Swamy devaru at Aralal in the Kankanhalli Taluk. —

Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore

(Register Sheet No 99.)

Taluk ... Konkomballi
Hobli ... Konkomballi
Village .. Hadalu -

Copy of the

Register of Inams in the village of Asalalu in the

CLASS, EXTENT AND VALUE OF INAM

Number of case or entire holding under one grant in this village	General class to which the Inam belongs	Survey No. and name of field or fields comprised in the grant. Dry, wet or garden	Extent	
			Local measure. Even where the local measure is in acres, guntas, and annas, it is to be entered in this column	Measure in acres and their fractions in decimals
1	2	3	4	5
(I.D. No 118)				
	Devadaya	Dry Nos 103 130, 135, 183 185, 189, 190, 195, 228 229.	Entire Stated in account 1840 K K. 0 1- 3-11	

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Sammat of Kankanhalli in the Taluk of Kankanhalli

		DESCRIPTION, TENURE AND	
Old assessment	Survey assessment	Description of Inam If for service, it is to be stated whether the service is continued If for tanks, buildings, &c, whether they are efficiently kept up Hereditary or for life	Whether free of tax, &c or liable to quit-rent, i. e, jodi, &c., amount c latter to be entered
Where no survey has been made and no assessment fixed by Government, the cess paid by the raiyats to the Inamdar, or the average assessment of similar Government land, should be entered in column 7			
6	7	8	9
P 7.V Rs a P 4-7-6 _ 13-12-6		For the benefit of the temple of Narayanaswamy in this Village, situate as per Mahazar annexed to the Survey Records and Surveyed every Year.	P. 7. V 1 — 5 — " = Rs 4 — 5 — 10

DOCUMENT IN SUPPORT OF THE INAM

By whom granted and in what year	Written instruments in support of the claim, original sunnad, all miscellaneous documents, and other proofs of long possession. In this column it should be stated whether the Inam is held with or without grant, whether the grant is produced or lost, &c., and the general specification of terms of all documents produced should be given.
10	11

of Bangalore

NAME AND RELATIONSHIP OF ORIGINAL GRANTEE AND

Name of original grantee	Name entered in the register prepared by Poornish up to 1810	Name entered in the accounts subsequent to 1810
12	13	14
	"	Hanjan Stall = In Cur. Jc. Account of 1840. Nirvaj Canara Army Div 1-3-11-4-7-6 Jody - - 1-5- - Remarks Vil

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OF SUBSEQUENT AND PRESENT HOLDERS

Particulars regarding present owner. If the inam has been subdivided, the name, &c., of each sharer should be entered in the columns			
Residence, name and age, &c.	Relation to original grantee or subsequent registered holders	Surviving heirs of the present incumbent	If unconnected with the original holders, possession how obtained, and in what year
15	16	17	18
Adlakha Narayanrao = Swamy Manager protem			

Div (a)

ENGLISH POSSESSION

Abstract of the orders already issued by the Commissioner or the Superintendent of the Division on lapses regarding validity or excess of the Inam. Assistants opinion and recommendation	Review by the special Assistant and confirmation by the Inam Commissioner
19	20
Whole grant. allowable being a Shetti Inam and borne out by the larger Shetti Inam account thereto adopted. To be confirmed on 1/2 Cul Grant 4-11-4 plus Jody 4-5-10 all Rs 9— under Rule 1 / 79 Compulsory. / Signed / Syed Wasseemudeen Asstt 21-12-76	1 Whole Grant. Devadaya Shetti 2. Confirmed on a Combined Gunt-rent of Rs 9— / Signed / Robt Cole Inam Supt 18/1/77

Inam Superintendents
Office
Bangalore D/ 27th Nov-1906

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D Grant
Superintendent
Inam Settlements
in

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From

To The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.

No.

Enclosure No.

Adverting to his letter No. 78 dated 23rd October 1906, submitting further report regarding the income and expenditure of the inam lands attached to the Sri Adinarayanaswamin temple at Amalal in the Kankatalai Taluk, has the honour to state that with the Vernacular records received with the

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the Assistant Commissioner's

report No 826, dated 5th

February 1906 referred to

in his letter No 86 dated 21st

April 1906 has not been received.

Requests therefore that the same

may be submitted to this office early

~~to dispose of the matter in question~~

By Order,

12/12/06

Secretary to Govt,

Mineral Department

7/12/06

1906.)

From

H. H. Walker Esquire
Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore Dist.

To

L. Anantasami Rao Esq B.A.
Secy. to the Govt. of Mysore
Revenue Dept.

Dated 20th
Despatched December 1906.
Received

General No.
M. S. No. 164

Enclosure No. one.

Submit with a note and a draft

6/1/07

With reference to his docket No. 3145 of 14th December 1906, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of report No. 826 dated 5 February 1906, from the Assistant Commissioner, Closepet Sub division, regarding the affairs of the Sri Adinarayanaswami temple at Avalal in the Kankanhalli Taluk.

for Dy. Commissr

Letter No. 826 of 5 January 1906
from the Asst. Commissioner
Closed Range to the Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore district.

With reference to your Murasi No.
55 dated 28 July 1905, forwarding
for enquiry and report a petition
from Krishnaretty and others of
Avalal village in the Kankanhalli
Taluk, addressed to the Murasi
Secretary, complaining against
the Archak of Sri Adinarayana
Swami temple of the village, I
have the honor to forward herewith
the entire records received with the
Amildar's report No. 413 dated 9th
December 1905, for information

2. I visited this temple along with
the Amildar. The temple has been
repaired by a charitably di

old man of the village and the Mahadeswara is under construction. The temple and its premises are maintained in good condition and from enquiries I made I learnt that the Archak was performing puja in the morning and evening. No villager except the petitioner complains that daily puja is not performed regularly, so the complaint against non-performance of puja is groundless.

3. It is also complained that no utsavas are performed. The fact is admitted by the pujari himself. The gut rent register shows the Inam is for the benefit of the temple. It does not appear from any record in the Taluk Office or from the title deeds produced the pujari subject to what

conditions, the Inam is to be enjoyed. Title deed simply says subject to the conditions of the grant. This grant copy, I was not able to secure either in the Talak Kacheri or from the Archaka of the temple. From the enquiries I made from some old men of the village, I was able to gather no information None of them not even the petitioner Krishnasetty is able to say what Pujas which were being performed before are now omitted. He says that his father was telling him while a boy that Rathotsava used to be performed. No living man of the village spoken to this Rathotsava having taken place within his personal memory. Evidence in fact there is none

to show that any Utsavas which were being performed once are now omitted.

The temple has endowed lands to the extent of 34 acres 13 gantas assessed at Rs. 36-4-. and pays a jodi of Rs. 9/. All these lands are in possession of the Archaka who enjoys the produce and performs daily puja with perhaps ~~taking~~ keeping an extra light during Navaratri.

Copy

for Dy. Commissioner.

Draft for approval

Yours

5/10

To

Petition Regd. No. 3838,

dated 10th April 1906, from

[illegible] letters of

[illegible] Taluk,

complaining of the mismanage-

ment by the Archak

of the affairs of the Sri

Adivara [illegible] temple in

the [illegible] village.

Correspondence ending

with Docket No. 104, dated 20th

December 1906, from the Deputy

Commissioner, Bangalore District,

reporting that the temple and

its premises are kept in good

condition and services performed

regularly, and that the com-

plaint of the petitioner regarding

the non-performance of Utsavams

is not traceable as no evidence

are forthcoming to show that

any Utsavams were being per-

formed within living memory

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Order thereon :— of 9.3416 B/10.1.07.

Rec'd. and file

Recorded.

As it is reported that the temple is kept in good repair, and daily services are duly performed, there is no reason to interfere with the Brethren's enjoyment of the endowments of the temple.

Secretary

7/1/07

To 6/1/07

We Def. to [illegible] in [illegible] dt.,

3417. [illegible] copies (except the copy of the Asst. Comr's memo)

Ends. as before

Issued

7/1/07